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BRACKETS TO TEETH

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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2006, please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows and consider the remarks below. After this Response, there are 34 claims total (52 were previously paid for), of which 4 claims are independent (4 were previously paid for). So no fee is due for net addition of claims. This Response is submitted with a Petition for Extension of Time for One Month, along with the requisite fee therefore. In the event that any further extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefore. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1513.